First Member of Council.—

That is not a supplementary question. The member may draw his own inference from the information furnished in the statement.

Mr. Abdul Nabi.—

It is clear from the statement that an income of Rs. 42,000 has been derived from the Sub-Court at Mysore. If so, cannot the Government open an additional court permanently out of all this income?

First Member of Council.—

That is a request and not an interpellation.

Mr. Abdul Nabi.—

Are Government going to open more courts?

First Member of Council.—

It is not possible to say what Government are going to do in future.

Mr. Paramasiviah.—

If more courts are opened, will the same income as in the Mysore Sub-Court be assured?

Dewan.—

That is a question based on another supplementary question and is not therefore quite in order. I wish the House to maintain a proper sense of proportion.

By Mr. Mahomed Sait (Mysore City Municipality).—

Q.—2. Will the Government be pleased to state :—

How many Sub-Division Officers failed to inspect Taluk Offices during the year 1924-25? What action do the Government intend taking against them? Will the Government name them?

Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.—

A.—2. It is reported that all the Taluk Offices were inspected by the Sub-Division Officers in charge.

Supplementary Question.

Mr. Mallappa of Mysore.—

With reference to the remark contained in a recent Government Review of the Revenue Department that the Sub-Division Officer of French Rocks did not inspect even a single Taluk Office, will Government be pleased to state what action has been taken against that officer?

Dewan.—

That is not a supplementary question.

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Q.—3. Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) (1) How many years it is since the Gold Industry was started in Mysore?

(2) What is the quantity of gold taken out till the year 1925 and what is its price?

(3) What is the total profit that Messrs. John Taylor and Company have realised till the year 1925?

(4) What is the sum of money that has been paid up to now by Messrs. John Taylor and Company as royalty to Government?

(5) When will the lease agreed to between John Taylor and Company and the Mysore Government be over?

(6) Has the Government trained any Mysoreans to work the Gold Industry in Mysore?

(*b*) (1) Are not Mysore Companies paying royalty due from them in gold coins?

(2) Is it not possible to arrange for payment of the same in gold?

SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT, REVENUE DEPARTMENT.—

A.—3. (*a*) (1) About 43 years.

(2) Roughly 14½ million ozs. of fine gold up to the end of June 1925 with a total value of 95 crores of rupees.